

CLERK: (Read LB 167 on Final Reading.)

PRESIDENT MOUL: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 167 pass with the emergency clause attached? All those in favor please vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Please record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: (Record vote read. See pages 2818-19 of the Legislative Journal.) 33 ayes, 11 nays, 3 present and not voting, 2 excused and not voting, Madam President.

PRESIDENT MOUL: LB 167 passes with the emergency clause. Proceed with LB 579.

CLERK: Madam President, the first motion I have on 579 is by Senator Conway. Senator, I have a note you wanted to withdraw your amendment.

SENATOR CONWAY: It's not necessary, so please pull it.

CLERK: So you want to withdraw.

SENATOR CONWAY: I ask unanimous consent to pull it.

PRESIDENT MOUL: If there are no objections, it will be so ordered.

CLERK: Madam President, Senator Pirsch would move to return LB 579 to Select File for a specific amendment, the amendment being to strike the enacting clause.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Senator Pirsch.

SENATOR PIRSCH: Thank you. I believe Senator Hefner would like a little of my time to begin.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Senator Hefner.

SENATOR HEFNER: Madam President and members of the body, the Pages handed out an Attorney General's Opinion on this bill. Somebody had requested an Attorney General's Opinion earlier and since there was quite a few amendments added, I requested this during about the middle part of May and I received it back. What this bill does, it creates a state election board and I